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BETHEL, MAINE, THURSDAY, MARCH 25, 1982

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## From the Bethel Town Office

Much of this week has been spent by William Judson, new Town Manager, learning the duties, requirements, and responsibilities of the Town Manager's Office. Your helpfulness, courtesy, and constructiveness in assisting with this process underscore the dignified pride Bethel residents share in our town.

The Selectmen met in regular session at the Bethel Savings Bank meeting room on Monday evening. Much of the meeting was spent on organizational and administrative items as this was the first meeting since the March 15 election. Peter T. Haines was welcomed to the Board as the newest elected member. The Board elected Peter Weeks as its chairman for 1982 and Stanley Howe as vice chairman. With no objection, Esther Crockett's application for a Class I liquor license for a Bethel Spa was renewed.

The Selectmen made the following appointments for 1982. Town Manager William Judson as Airport Manager; Building Inspector, the Woman. In 1980 and 1981 was selected as an Outstanding Young Woman of America. A college preparatory, traditional boarding school, looks forward to having these two graduates on the Board and to their enthusiasm, ideas, and expertise will benefit the Academy as it moves toward its 150th year in mid-80's.

## WNIIES TROOP 597:

The cookies will be ready to go up at Cindy Blake's house today and Sunday afternoon. Please don't delay as you need to deliver them and return all money by March 28 at the latest.

## FOR CITIZENS MENU

Monday, March 22: Baked macaroni and cheese, hot dogs, beans, corn, and vegetables, Jello with fruit.

## PHOTOGRAPHY

Production, Children's Portraits /Weddings & Family Groups  
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## CREATORS Anonymous,

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## TUESDAY, March 25:

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SUNDAY RIVER SKIWAY ROAD TEL. 824-3232

## NORDIC SKI & OUTING CLUB SCHEDULES PAIR OF WEEK END ACTIVITIES

The Bethel Nordic Ski and Outing Club has two interesting activities scheduled for this week end.

On Saturday, March 27, the sented to the overall winning team in Sunday River Ski Touring Center's April Fools' Pole, Paddle & Paw Race. The award, to be known as The Pole, Paddle & Paw Cup, is being donated in the name of Hastings Racing Stables to tour topped off with cook-out at the Kellys. Youngsters wishing to participate will meet at the Crescent Park School at 10:30 a.m. and leave for Songo Pond (Kellys) at 11 a.m. This will be a leisurely tour followed by a cook-out at the Kellys. Youngsters wishing to participate will meet at the Crescent Park School before the tour begins. For further information call Don Angevine at 824-3343.

On Sunday, March 26, Bob Remington will lead a tour from the Bethel Airport to the Sunday River Ski Touring Center to watch the Pole, Paddle and Paw Race. This tour (for the hearty) will meet at the airport at 10 a.m. and leave at 11 a.m. For information contact Bob Remington at 824-3869.

The new snow should make for ideal spring conditions on both tours. Come and join the fun!

## GREENWOOD REC. COMMITTEE SPONSORING THIRD CARD PARTY OF SEASON, MARCH 26

The Greenwood Recreation Committee's third card party of the season will start at 7:00 on Friday, March 26, at the Locke Mills Town Hall.

Those who feel "rusty" and those who have never tried this form of entertainment are encouraged to come as the atmosphere is relaxed and a good time is had by all. Anyone who is asked to bring a card table. Refreshments will be served.

"63" players will start by drawing for partners and table numbers. At the end of the round (four hands) the winning couples are encouraged to come together and become opponents. All other winning couples move up one table and change partners. Each

player keeps his own score sheet and high score at the end of the evening receives a prize.

Cribbage players will change opponents after every game and scores are charged to the loser by the number of holes unpegged. Low scores at the end of the evening wins.

Cribbage players are also welcome but are asked to call 875-2683 for details.

## PURITY CHAPTER, O.E.S., TO INSTALL OFFICERS MARCH 26

There will be an open installation of officers of Purity Chapter #102 O.E.S., Bethel, on Friday, March 26, 1982, at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Hall, Officiating in the East will be PGM Frances M. Smith and PGP Gordon G. Smith. Refreshments will be served in the diningroom following the meeting.

Anyone interested in attending is cordially invited.

## BETHEL WATER DISTRICT TEMPERATURE REPORT

Water, ground (below Philbrook St.) and air temperature, recorded at the Bethel Water District's Philbrook Street Office at 8 a.m., Wednesday, March 24, 1982. Readings are in Fahrenheit.

3/24/82 3/25/81 3/26/80

	Water	Ground	Air
3 ft.	34°	34°	30°
4 ft.	32°	32°	29°
5 ft.	33°	33°	33°
6 ft.	35°	34°	34°
	30°	34°	

Friends of Mildred and Carroll Wentzell are invited to an open house honoring their 50th wedding anniversary at their home at 9 Madison Ave., Gorham, N.H., April 3, 1982, at 7:00 p.m.

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## Park Street to be Featured at Meeting of Historical Society Next Thursday Evening

Park Street, one of Bethel's most historic areas, will be the featured topic at the monthly meeting of the Bethel Historical Society to be held Thursday, April 1, 7:30 p.m., in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House.

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## SENIOR CITIZENS TO VISIT COOPERSTOWN IN JUNE

Clarice Gibson, Corres.

A Senior Citizens four day trip to Cooperstown, and Howes Caverns, N. Y., on June 1-4 will include three meals and these highlights: Howe Caverns; Farmer's Museum, exhibiting early living; including Village Crossroads, buildings brought together from a 100 mile area reflecting rural communities from 1783 to 1840. Also included will be a visit to the Baseball Hall of Fame and the Fenimore House. A \$25 deposit will be collected when reservation is made. Please contact Joan Coolidge, tel. 824-2575, for further details.

## SQUARE DANCE

Jessie Brundage of Massachusetts will be the caller at the Mollocket Mixers Square Dance to be held at the Rumford High School on Saturday, March 27 at 8 p. m. Round dances will be cued by Wally Weeks.



**ON PLYMOUTH STATE'S SKI TEAM** — Rick James of Bethel was a key member of the Plymouth (N. H.) State College men's ski team.

Plymouth State finished ninth in the 1982 National Collegiate Ski Association National Championships held at McCall, Idaho, March 5 and 6. The Panthers took a fourth place finish and finished 12th in the slalom event when four of their five competing skiers fell on the second run.

PSC captured the slalom, giant slalom and combined alpine events at the 1981 NCSA National Championships held at Marquette, Mich., for its first national championship in any sport. Doug Karsowski led the Panthers to the 1981 title by finishing first in the slalom, giant slalom and combined alpine events.

James is a freshman business marketing major at Plymouth State College and is a first-year letter winner for the PSC men's ski team.

Rick is a 1980 graduate of Telstar Regional High School, where he also competed on the soccer and baseball teams. He is the son of Richard and Barbara James of Bethel.

Sylvia Benson and Joan Coolidge talked on the phone to Johnny Stearns, brother of Robert, while in Orlando.

Sharon Kimball and two girls spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benson. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benson went to North Paris Sunday to see Sylvia's sister and Mr. and Mrs. Corry Bonney and their daughter Marlene's new home.

Dick and Sue Angevine, Ernest and Alberta Angevine, Judy Coolidge and girls, went to the wedding reception of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Angevine at the Bethel Legion Hall, Saturday.

Recent visitors of Evelyn Hibborn from Bickford, Mass., were Dr. and Mrs. Ken Thompson. Evelyn used to work for his father in Toronto, Can., until 1967 when the father passed on. Evelyn had not seen the Thompsons since the funeral.

Evelyn Hibborn and friends Louise Coffin, West Paris; Frances Farnum, Kay McAllister, Bryant Pond, and Bertha Flanders, Locke Mills, have been going various places. Sometimes all the ladies were not able to make it. Twice they went to North Conway, N. H., and one time ate at Jackson, N. H., and another time at Berlin. Friday, Bertha Flanders and Evelyn went to Norway and Oxford in the morning and in the afternoon, Evelyn, Judy Coolidge and girls went to Rumford. Saturday, Evelyn, Frances and Kay went shopping in Auburn, and then went to Rumford across routes 4 and 108. They ate

## NEWS FROM ADULT AND COMMUNITY EDUCATION

M.S.A.D. #44

Classes starting during the week of March 29 include the Aerobic Dance classes, Karate for both children and adults and Instant Pediatrics, a course designed to cover child health needs. There are openings in the morning and afternoon Aerobic Dance classes, both of which meet on Tuesdays and Thursdays and are taught by Sue Farrar. The Karate classes will meet on Tuesdays, starting March 30, with the children's class to be held at Gould Academy at a time to be determined, and the high school and adult class to be held at the Telstar Gym from 7-9. Instant Pediatrics will be held at Telstar on Wednesdays at 7 starting March 31. To enroll in any of these classes, please phone the Adult and Community Education Office, 824-2126.

An additional section of G.E.D. preparation work has been added, allowing students who are interested in preparing to take the high school equivalency test to come to Telstar on Thursday evenings on Tuesdays. Students take the G.E.D. Pre-test, which identifies areas of strength and weakness. Work is then done under the direction of a teacher, and the G.E.D. exam is taken when the teacher and the student are satisfied that the applicant will pass the exam. Jim Lumey will be the instructor on Thursdays, with Ann Holt continuing to instruct the Tuesday section, assisted by volunteer Ad Miller. Anyone who wishes to take the G.E.D. exam this spring is urged to contact Cathy Newell at Telstar, 824-2136, or home, 824-2089, as soon as possible to arrange



## CONTEST WINNERS

The third graders in Shirley Merrill's class at Crescent Park School are involved in learning the 200 basic addition and subtraction facts. To add some motivation to this task, Ms. Merrill is holding a contest "Who Will Make the Math Facts Team?"

On three consecutive days each month students take timed tests with 100 addition facts, 100 subtraction facts and 100 mixed addition and subtraction facts. One test is given per day with a four minute limit. To be on the "Math Facts" team students must obtain at least 250 points out of a possible 300 points.

Students this month making the team are Heidi Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Moore of Bethel, Heidi earned 289 points; and Brandi Dyer, daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. Richard Donald of Bethel, with a score of 265 points. Both girls received certificates and prizes for being contest winners.

The next try-out will begin on April 7, so students will be drilling on these facts to prepare for a high score on their next chance to make the team. Parents are urged to do daily flashcard practice at home with their child to supplement drill supplied at school by Ms. Merrill and the volunteer parents program.

## CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank everyone who helped make our 50th Anniversary a day we will always remember. We especially want to thank June Stearns, Janice Hill and Sandra Clement for making the party arrangements; Linda Stearns for the anniversary cake made by Nancy Barker; Benton Monk for the anniversary cake made by Sue Sousa of Gorham, N. H., and Nancy Stearns for the beautiful flowers. Thanks to the Cheekeen Coop for the lovely dinner. Thanks to everyone for the cards, gifts and money. God Bless You All.

\* Roland and Thelma Stearns

in Turner. Alberta Angevine and Evelyn also went to Conway, N. H., recently.

Stan and Althea Brown are the proud grandparents of their first granddaughter, Sarah Elizabeth, born March 15. The parents are Mr. and Mrs. Corey Brown of Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mason, Jr., and Melinda, had for Sunday dinner, Lee, Terry and Beth Blake, Augusta; Chuck, Kathie and three children, Scott, Rocky and two children and Mike and Carol Wright.

Jimmy and Lea MacDougall are home from their studies from the U. of M-Orono, at their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alden MacDougall.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Angevine and Timmy, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Moore and children, went to Mexico for supper Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Moore had a calf born at their farm, Monday morning.

To be without some of the things you want is an indispensable part of happiness."

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## T.T.A.E.R.S. News

(Tri-Town Ambulance & Emergency Rescue Service)

If no one has come to your door for the canvass they may be coming this week. Team captains are Susan Litchfield from

**NEW EXHIBIT OPENS  
APRIL 4 AT OWEN GALLERY**

The James B. Owen Art Gallery at Gould Academy will be the site of new opening and show beginning on Sunday, April 4, from 2-4 p.m.

The exhibit will feature the prints of Katherine Corti an artist from Oakland, Maine. Her serigraphs of the Maine Countryside exemplify a breathing intensity of the land itself and will appeal to everyone. The public is cordially invited to attend the opening and to visit the gallery, open 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., during the time of this show which runs through May 2.

**BETHEL HISTORICAL SOCIETY RECEIVES DONATIONS**

Recent donations to the Bethel Historical Society have included a wide variety of photographs, documents and artifacts relating to the Bethel area. Among the donors are Jack Auchmoody, Bryant Pond, a copy of "Josiah Valenteered" by Arnold Sturtevant; Neva M. Coolidge, deeds and receipts relating to Tilton B. Heath, T. William Stevens and Clement Seaway; Edna York, photographs relating to Gould Academy; Richard Fraser, North Woodstock, miscellaneous paper articles relating to the Vietnam War and local mills; Ruth Wilkinson, Borden's Malted Milk bottle; Persis Post, Newry, copies of "Collier's History of the European War" and "Views of the American Army and Navy in Cuba, Puerto Rico, Hawaii and The Philippines";

Dennis J. Lombardi, Bangor, two Ground Observer Corps pins; Ralph Hall, camera and attachments, film cases, negative viewer, spot light and stand, footlights, silver steeping spoon, molasses jug; Mary C. Keniston, Gould Academy catalog, 19th century; Alden Kennett, 18th century leaching stone; Barbara Rich Adams, Lancaster, N.H. china (believed to have been the first brought to Bethel by ox cart over the Albany hills); George Rich's shaving mug, cast iron griddle and muffin tin, coin silver spoon; Irene Hutchinson, South Paris, various photographs of Bethel village scenes and the Indian Raid celebration of 1931; Beatrice Conrad, patent certificate for feed wheels for spool machines obtained by Charles S. Brown, July 4, 1922; school geography owned by Charles S. Brown;

Elizabeth Blake, one copy of poems, "Over the Years" by Rena Abbott (1887-1980); Peter Anderson, sampler made by Lydia Holt of Bethel, age 12 (1819); Ernestine P. Jackson, Nashua, N.H. numerous photographs and post card views relating to Bethel Hill; Wallace Saunders, football helmet used by Chesley Saunders at Gould's Academy c. 1900; Sylvia Clanton, numerous household accessories c. 1900; Rodney Richard, Rangeley, saw sculpture; Phyllis Davis Dock, painting of the North Bethel school by Winnifred Hall Bartlett c. 1930; Dorothea Murphy, numerous paper articles relating to Bethel in the 19th century; Clarence Rolfe, photographs and post cards relating to West Bethel; Olive Head, campaign coin, Winfield Scott Hancock, Democratic candidate for President, 1880;

Ollis J. Bartlett, Berlin, N.H., Bethel, Maine, egg shipping crate; Edith Eaton Eddy, large 45 star American flag; Helen A. Morton, Newry, World War I sailor suit; Muriel Butters, photographs and snap shots relating to Bethel schools and scenes; Leland Brown, Maine Registers for 1975-76, 1976-77; Frederick Kneeland, Cherryfield, account book c. 1750-1775 of Moses Mason Sr.; Guy Butler, call bell and pen stand from the Prospect Hotel c. 1900, Bethel; Mariann Mills Durgin, Newry, medicine bottles from W. E. Bosserman Pharmacy, G. R. Wiley's Drug Store and S. L. Hall Drug Store; Clifford Ellis, framed lithograph; Laura Imman, photographs relating to the Steam Mill;

Randall H. Bennett, Rumford, a copy of Anne Miller Down's "The Pilgrim Soul"; Elizabeth Bane, photograph of G. J. Haigood store, Main Street, Bethel, c. 1890, and school autograph banner, c. 1904; Joy Heywood Yarnell, Up頓, parasols and miscellaneous clothing; Barbara H. Brown, miscellaneous clothing; Julia B. Brown, a copy of "Independent Telephones: A History 1876-1976" and a Van Telephone Company pencil; Ben Conant, South Paris, eight William Rogers Chapman "Maine Festival Books 1898-1933; Vincent York Phillips, a copy of his "Sandy River and Its History" and one of "The Identity of the St. Francis Indians" by Gordon Day.

The Society is most grateful for these fine additions to its ever-growing collections.

**COMMUNITY CONCERT DRIVE SET**

The board of directors of the Rumford Community Concert Association announce that March 29 through April 2 has been set as Membership Campaign Week. Present members will be invited to renew their memberships and others of the area are invited to join the Association for the 1982-83 season.

Already booked for the upcoming season are "The Texas Boys Choir" and "Solisti New York", a chamber orchestra composed of some of New York City's finest freelance musicians with Ransom Wilson, conductor and flute soloist. The remaining concert will be chosen at the close of the membership drive and will be determined by the success of the drive.

Attendance at all concerts is by membership only, as no individual tickets are available. As an added bonus, new members will be invited to attend the 1982 season's final performance by "Jury's Irish Cabaret" of Dublin, April 5, at Rumford High School.

To become a member visit or call campaign headquarters in the C.M.P. lobby on Congress Street in Rumford, March 28 through April 1. In Bethel call John Appling or Alberta Merrill.

**UNITED METHODIST WOMEN TO MEET THURSDAY, APRIL 1**

The United Methodist Women will meet at the Church annex at 1:30, Thursday, April 1. The program for the afternoon will be the Swedish exchange student, Malin Kvist, talking about her country. The hostesses for the afternoon will be Adeline Dexter and Ethel Whitemore.

*Letters to the Editor*

To Bethel's Taxpayers:

West Bethel Children's Center staff and parents would like to say "Thank You!" to voters who appropriated \$980 specifically for the Children's Center at the Annual Town Meeting. It boosts our morale to get the support we need from the community we serve.

Our Head Start and Day Care Programs are sponsored by Oxford County Community Services, a private non-profit agency. Both of our programs must secure funds from local sources for "seed" money and in-kind donations in order to continue to receive Federal funds. Parents are involved in fund raising activities that help defray the high cost of utilities at the Center. Parents volunteer their time in classrooms and kitchen, transporting H. S. children home, and building maintenance for further in-kind donations. S.A.D. 44 transports the Head Start children to the Center, and the town of Bethel has donated the use of the school rent-free. The involvement and caring of parents and community have directly contributed to the stability and quality of our Child Development Programs.

In spite of recent government cuts that have effected our food, transportation, and staff we have continued to provide the same comprehensive services to children. We appreciate the efforts of our administrative staff, Center staff, parents, and community who have all worked together to provide cost effective programs that give young children the opportunity to realize their full potential.

Children's Services of O.C.C.S. believes strongly in preserving the strength and unity of families. We look forward to our continuation of services to a diverse public. To meet the increasing demand for enrollment in our programs we are extending our slots to accept six private fee-paying children.

We would also like to extend an invitation to all to come out to West Bethel and see what we're all about. If you're interested in knowing more about the programs give us a call at 836-3700, and read article in this issue of Bethel Citizen.

Again, thanks to all.

Sincerely,  
Donna Richard-Chapman  
Head Teacher, West  
Bethel Children's Center

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Rev. Jacqueline R.  
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**Baptist Church**  
Linwood Hanson  
Sunday School,  
Worship Service.  
Evening Service,  
Women's Bible Study,  
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er, 7:00 p. m.  
Awana Club: K-Gr.,  
p. m.; Gr. 3-Gr. 8,  
p. m.

**Community Church**  
Hanscom, Pastor  
Duran, Organist  
Morning Worship, 9:00.  
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BETHEL SCOUTS MEET — On

Wednesday evening, March 17, Boy  
Scout Troop 565, met at the Bethel  
Fire Station. The Patrol Leader Badge  
was presented to Chris Chapman and John Elliot received

the Assistant Patrol Leader Badge.

Present at the meeting were, above,  
left to right: Jeff Lyon, Tom  
James, Chris Chapman, Scoutmas-  
ter Bill Boyle, John Elliot, Jeff  
Boyle and Danny Long.

### GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE AT METHODIST CHURCH APRIL 9

A Good Friday

**Albany HUNT'S CORNER****Kathy Bennett, Corres.**

It has been a snowy March morning but finally the sun has come out. The bird feeder has been a real harbinger of spring this morning with the appearance of two red-wing blackbirds, and two starlings.

Recent callers at the home of Hugh and Edith Stearns and Ruth Bumpus have been Terry and Dareth Howard, Kathy Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Waterhouse, Ivy Philbrook, June, Michelle and Brian Inman, Mike Inman and Frank Howard.

Jane Inman and children called at the Wardwell Farm on Saturday.

Sarah Andrews went to Otisfield on Saturday to visit her new great-granddaughter, Courtney Corbett.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Bean and son called at the home of Sarah Andrews. Verpa Swan has been a recent visitor at Sarah's.

Alberta White has papered her mother's, Elsa McAllister's, living room for her.

Saturday callers at the Albert McAllister home were Barb Hooper and baby, and Joan White.

Franklin Barton and son James called on family members in Brownfield on Sunday. Brett and Jeff Barton went to Conway shopping Sunday. Saturday night Franklin and Margaret visited Billy and Yvonne Robinson. Other callers at the farm this week were Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Westleigh.

Another week has sped by! I can't believe how quickly each week ends and another begins!

Margaret Barton and I joined a group of people in Norway for a very nice bus trip to the flower show in Boston on Sunday. Also on the trip were Libby Scribner, Norma Buck and Wilma Gorman. Nice to see all the beautiful flowers and really get in the mood for spring. That quickly left when we arrived back in Norway and found six inches of snow on our car!

Saturday evening, Dick and I, and the boys joined Chris and Elton Cole at my folks' home and put on a birthday Wok supper for Aunt Kay Billings and Aunt Dot Hooper. Other guests were Megan Cole and Mr. and Mrs. LaForest Twitchell.

Saturday afternoon we called on Harold and Annie Nutting in Bethel.

Callers here at K-D's Acres last week were Chris and Elton and Megan Cole, and LaForest Twitchell for supper on Wednesday evening. Franklin Barton, Margaret Barton, Jeff Barton, June Inman and children, and Allan Twitchell.

**WEST BETHEL****Children's Center**

The Head Start and Day Care programs that operate at the West Bethel Children's Center are now recruiting children for this summer's Day Care group and next Fall ('82-'83 year) for both Day Care and Head Start Child Development Programs.

Day Care services are for children whose parents are employed, actively seeking employment for up to three months, or attending school a minimum of 25 hours. Day Care can also accept children of families in crisis, and special needs children who are physically or mentally handicapped. The program can accept 22 children, ages 2½, 3, 4, 5, and 6.

The program offers comprehensive services to children and their families. Head Start components include education, health-medical and dental, mental health, and parent involvement, social services and nutrition.

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Head Start is a nationally recognized successful developmental

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**Andover****EAST ANDOVER****Mrs. Marjorie Jodrey, Cor.**

Mr. and Mrs. William Gill, Lower Main Street, are visiting their son and family in Hawaii.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McGuire are leaving this week for a vacation in Florida.

Arthur Thurston is spending this week at home on leave from Ledgeview nursing home.

Most all the woodsmen have been bringing their equipment out of the woods as roads are posted and breaking up.

Mrs. Rebecca Pease of Hampden spent the weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. Glen Fyrberg and Jenny.

Some of the members of the "Back Street Lava and Garden Club" held a "wood splitting bee" and while they took their rest periods they discussed what they would plant this year in their gardens. One popular item was "mushrooms" the how and where about of raising them. It was quite a heated discussion but the wood pile didn't decrease any.

Mrs. Jeff Dolloff and twin daughters of Standish, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Swanson.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hutchins and children and Mrs. Henry Hutchins were in Portland Saturday on business.

Mrs. Bernice Glover has received word of the birth of her 25th great-grandchild. She has 19 grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Glover and children were callers on her, Sunday.

Miss Kaye Swan has finished her student teacher's term at Andover Elementary School and started Monday, March 22, at Merobey School in Mexico, for the next eight weeks.

Miss Karen Swan and Howard Clark were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Swan, during their vacation from their studies at EMVITI in Bangkok.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Graham of Massachusetts are spending a few days in Andover while her mother, Mrs. Thelma Clark, is a surgical patient at Rumford Community Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Mills and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnston met six other Mollockett Mixers for supper on their way to the F. & G. Square Dance Club on a banner raid. Roger Mills won the pot of Gold. The Mollockett Mixers have Al Mony of Vermont for their May 22 dance.

Rev. Norman Rust's sermon topic at the First Congregational Church on March 21 was "Consider These Commandments". Greeters: Dolly Jones and Evelyn

program designed to meet the individual needs of income eligible children who live in S.A.D. 44 and will be 4 by Oct. 15. Head Start also encourages children with handicapping conditions to apply for services, and has been a forerunner in mainstreaming special needs children.

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West Bethel Children's Center can also accept 4 private fee-paying children for its Child Development Program. Families should apply as soon as possible, as slots are filled for the Fall this May. Head Start program runs from mid-September to mid-May. Day Care runs continuously thru all 12 months. There will be space available for more Day Care slots beginning in June. For further information please contact the Center at 636-3700.

**IN ONE ACT PLAY** — Ed Greenleaf (left) as the Angry Young

Man, and Sean Kersey as the Old Man in Daniel Wright's "The Feast" being presented at Telstar on April 2 and 3.

**MR. AND MRS. STEARNS  
HONORED ON ANNIVERSARY**

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Stearns of Rumford Corner were honored at the Mexico Chicken Coop in Mexico on March 14 for their 50th wedding anniversary.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Terence Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Wilma Bessey, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Curtis and Scotty, Mike Casper, Mrs. Evelyn Bean, Mrs. Catherine Luce, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hamlin, Mrs. Josephine Tyler, Mrs. Albert Foster, Mr. and Mrs. John Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Clement, Gary and Kristi, Mr. and Mrs. Steven Casey, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bessey, Mr. and Mrs. John Hutchins, Miss Barbara Bessey and friend, John, Wally Bessey, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hutchins, Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, Mr. and Mrs. George Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stearns, Mr. and Mrs. Jacques Dumoulin, Benton Monk, Mrs. Pat Arnesen, Daniel Stearns, Miss Linda Stearns and friend, Rich Westleigh, Mr. and Mrs. Brian Gross, Mrs. Pat Errington, and the honored guests, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Stearns. Gifts were also received from several others unable to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Stearns were married on March 4, 1932, in Rumford Center by Reverend Ester Haskard.

**ADULT ED. "MONEY SERIES"  
CONTINUES IN APRIL**

The S.A.D. 44 Adult and Community Education program has two sessions scheduled as part of the "Money Series" during the month of April. The first of these will be a seminar for small business on the subject of Collections, and will be presented by Jim Delamater of the Bethel Savings Bank, and Bethel attorney Michael O'Donnell. The program will be held at Telstar on Monday, April 12, at 7 p.m.

The second offering in the "Money Series" will be presented by Bethel attorney Gordon Gillies, and Steve Austin, an accountant from South Paris. The topic of the presentation will be "Should the logger and small businessman incorporate?" and the program will be held on Monday, April 26, at 7 p.m. at Telstar.

There is no charge for programs in the "Money Series". Previous programs have been held on savings options and insurance, involving area professionals Jim Delamater, Roger Conant and Ronald Kendall. Further information is available from the Adult and Community Education Office, 824-2136.

Trap Corner is available, with doors open for b

**East Stoneham****Gladys Kilgore, Corres.**

Much sympathy is extended to the Dwight Grover family in the loss of her mother, Mrs. Mary Read of Belfast.

Peter Lombard has returned home from the hospital and is feeling much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanwood Nelson went to Denmark one day last week to visit their cousin, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Heino of Melrose, Mass., were visitors at their summer home here, over the week end.

Mrs. Frances Grant went to Norway on business Saturday.

Several from here attended the retired teachers meeting at Bethel, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Grover have been confined to their home with colds.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Plummer went to Livermore with Mrs. Louise Morse Thursday, also Edith McAllister.

Doris Lawrence from the hospital from the date with the colds, Monday, by and could not get

**North Part****— Eveline B. Va**

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**North Paris**

Eveline B. Vatcher, Corres.

It is a beautiful sight outdoors as I jot down a few notes. Isn't today the first day of Spring? My husband and I had raspberries for supper in the thunder shower. My mother used to say that a thunderstorm in the winter was a sign that the weather would be colder. We have had enough cold for one winter. I would be willing to bet that Fred Judkins would forget all about Florida if he could only see our winter wonderland this morning and it is still snowing, so who knows, we may have a foot of snow before the storm is over.

The ski slope isn't any place for me today, as I would be looking around the country and run into a tree or a mountain and that would finish my career on skis. Oh well I'm too old for that stuff anyway. I'll hang my "Go-Shoes" on the hook with Eva Yates' "Go-Shoes" and retire. Wouldn't we have fun gabbing.

Doris Lawrence returned home from the hospital Friday. She had a date with the eye doctor for today, Monday, but she was sick and could not go. Who says retirement is fun?

While I was sick in bed with the flu for 10 days, my African violets worked overtime and were in full bloom. They look like a bunch of long stem, dark purple and light lavender violets that we used to pick years ago. They are beautiful and I talk to them every day to tell them happy.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vatcher went to Burlington, Mass., Saturday, March 20, to the wedding of Joe's favorite niece, Karen Anderson, to Allen Bondeson. The girls were beautiful, the gowns were beautiful, the flowers were beautiful, and the day was also a beautiful one. The guys were also beautiful. The happy couple left for a honeymoon in Florida, after a reception at the Casa di Fiori. Many friends also gathered at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson for a social gathering and the opening of their many gifts. Joe and Eveline came home early Sunday morning and they had the road all to themselves after one o'clock. The new truck rides good so we didn't mind.

Trap Corner Garage looks more livable, with the huge garage doors open for business under the

**West Paris**

Mrs. Marian Chase, Corres.

A birthday supper was held for Keyna and Kelly McLaughlin to celebrate their 8th birthday. Attending were great grandmother Bessie Pope; grandparents Fred and Florence McLaughlin; Newton and Joyce Lamb, Wendy Lamb and the host and hostess, Judith and Michael McLaughlin. Home made ice cream and a birthday cake made by Florence McLaughlin was enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Lamb visited Mr. and Mrs. Vance Frame in Orange, Mass., over the weekend and attended memorial services for Vance's father, Howard Frank, who died Feb. 28.

Miss Robin Chamberlain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Chamberlain, returned to college in Boston, Mass., after a week's vacation.

Mrs. Lula Buck returned home Sunday after visiting her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Randall Buck, Oxford, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cram visited his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Reggie Cram, in Sanford over the weekend.

Callers on Mrs. Lula Buck last week were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hill, Norway, and their daughter, Charlotte, of New Jersey; Mrs. Madlyn Herrick, South Paris; Stanley Beleckis, Lewiston.

Rehearsals for the minstrel show are at the Universalist Church at 6:30 p.m. every Sunday evening.

Forward Fellowship will hold a food sale Saturday, March 27, at the Community Room in the bank at 10 a.m.

The West Paris Cemetery Association will meet March 30 at 7 p.m. in the Historical Society Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Bacon went to Halifax, Vt., over the weekend to attend the christening of their granddaughter, Emily Ann Bissette.

Ownership of Dick Roy of North Paris. The yard is all plowed out and it looks good to see people and trucks there again.

Callers at Lawrences: Mr. and Mrs. Herman Card, Alice Billings, Beryl Waisanen, Mione Records, Albert Penley Sr., Joe and Evie Vatcher, Ray and Stacey Dean, Nancy Mason, Heather and Timothy Marjorie Curtis, Clarence Everett Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Albert Downing, Lena Dean.

The Community Hall was broken into again last week and the Sheriff's Department came to look things over and do some scouting around.

Sunday, March 21, Mrs. Mione Records had her 39th birthday, and a party was the order of the day. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Card, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Emery, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Penley Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Root Lawrence, and the host, Carroll Records, enjoyed a lovely dinner including birthday cake and home made ice cream. No calories in all that food.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Vatcher were at Lewiston where the Minister had a date with the dentist.

The Joe Vatchers called on Mrs. Fannie Vatcher while in Massachusetts Saturday, and found her in better health.

Have a nice week and hang on to the snow shovel a while longer, you may have a use for it. We rode to "Big Rock" last week and the home of Lennie Pearson is progressing and he will soon be able to move into it. Does that mean a housewarming? Let's think about it.

**CARD OF THANKS**

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**Locke Mills**

Mrs. John Mills, Corres.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mills were in Norway Friday afternoon where they had a doctor's appointment. They then visited Verne Mills at the Andrews nursing home, did some shopping and then enjoyed supper with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Mills, and Carl Colby who was visiting for the week end at the Mills home on Alpine Street. While there they also talked with Mary Mills who works at the Autumn Years home in Bolster Mills.

Charles and Jeannette Knight visited her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Baker recently in West Newfield.

The church distributed envelopes for the One Great Hour of Sharing offering last week and church attendees are reminded that if they wish to participate they should bring the envelopes back this week. Some of those going to the Women's Celebration will be sharing their experiences so those who are interested should be sure to attend.

Charles and Jeannette Knight called on Marjorie Knight Hatfield recently and on Saturday they took supper with their daughter and family where Jeannette had spent the day. Jeannette also recently spent a day with Edward and Helen Chase.

The town offers its sincerest sympathy to the family of Ted Cummings who died last week end in Caribou. Ted had been ill with cancer for some time.

Alice Marion Jordan was moved last week to the Dixfield nursing home.

Jeannette Knight went to the Central Maine Medical Center in Lewiston for tests and took more on Monday at Stephens Memorial Hospital. As soon as all the tests are complete she will be entering Stephens Memorial Hospital the week of April 4 for surgery.

**North Waterford**

Mrs. Jo Sanderson, Cor.

Arlene Bean of West Bethel had breakfast Sunday morning, March 14, with her mother, Jo Sanderson.

Bill and Annie Markley, who have been caring for her brother, Bert Rugg, for over a year, have returned to New Jersey where they formerly resided.

Hayward Lord, a native of North Waterford and Norway, passed away Thursday, March 11 in Togus, where he was a patient for over eight weeks.

Clyde Stanton Jr. and Jo Sanderson went to Lewiston Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Leroy

Swan, Beverly Melville, and Margaret Swan attended the Women's Celebration of the United Church of Christ at the Holiday Inn, Portland, last week end. While there they attended workshops and forums and assemblies with the other 1,250 ladies that attended. They all stayed at the Ramada Inn with the exception of Martha Farrington who stayed with relatives.

Bruce Campbell, son of Marianne (Chase) Campbell is on leave from Great Lakes, Ill., Naval Base, and will soon be leaving for San Diego, Calif., where he goes to a naval school for a trade for four months. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Knight of Greenwood Center.

The church was prettiest from the farm fields but the walking was best on the pond and the river. With the river I was not compelled to walk far.

The ice was covered with powdery snow but solid. I walked with the sun up pond and some wind on my face.

The snow did not lie level on the ice or on the land.

I left the pond, crossed a field roughened by snowy waves, then went on toward the upper part of Sanborn River.

In places there was a dust of diamonds and other precious jewels spread all around. Red and blue, predominated, while above me there was a cloudless sky.

I walked the meadow which led me under boughs of maples and the swamp white oak, as well as many more. I could stand at my ease, and study their phenomena.

I cautiously went down the bank to the river and wasn't surprised that near the rapids and shallow places there was ice and open water. That dark-eyed water exposed for cancer for some time.

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Linnell of South Paris to attend a D.A.V. meeting.

It seems good to have some sunlight to help melt the snow away.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Lee Lord went to Livermore Falls to see Lee's Dad, Walter Lord, Tuesday.

Alon Rich is a patient at Togus. He would appreciate cards.

Steve Wilson and Mike Cummings helped Clyde Stanton get his camper out of the snow, on which they formerly resided.

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Clyde Stanton Jr. and Jo Sanderson took Kay O'Leary up to see Paul Lord Friday. He is some improved.

Bert Rugg was in Norway, Wednesday visiting friends.

**West Greenwood**

Carolyn M. Colby, Corres.

Maude Harrington enjoyed a birthday supper for Linda at Ralph and Estelle Harrington's, Sunday River, on March 16.

Celebrating Tom Harrington's 18th birthday with him and his family at their home on Sunday were: Cora and Alfred Johnson, South Paris; Cindy Johnson, Connecticut; Donald and Pat Johnson, Norway; Doug and Laurie French, Norway; Tammy Wilson, Locke Mills and Maude Harrington.

The swallows were due to return to Capistrano on Friday but to Frost Pocket Farm in Woodchuck Hollow there returned three starlings.

Recent visitors at Joe and Muriel Gilbert's have been: their

**TO THE ROTARY CLUB:**

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Specified roads, whether constructed by the purchaser or the Forest Service, shall be completed by October 15, 1982.

If the bidder elects to have the Forest Service construct the roads, the Forest Service intends to perform construction by contract. When the Forest Service intends to construct the road through a contract, the award of the timber sale contract will not be made unless either a satisfactory road construction bid is received or, if Forest Service fails to receive such a bid within 120 days of opening timber sale bids, bidder agrees to perform road construction.

Purchaser credit limit is \$18,000.00. Based on advertised rates, the maximum amount that can be realized by the Purchaser in Effective Purchaser Credit is \$12,200.13.

Full information concerning the timber, the conditions of sale, and the submission of bids should be obtained from the District Ranger, Bethel, Maine, or the Forest Supervisor, Concord, New Hampshire.

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— Mrs. Colista Morgan, Corres. —

The crust came this week to make walking possible where I haven't been since last fall. I have visited in early morning the swamp, Noyes Mountain to the farm fields, the ponds, the pine grove and the river. So with two miles a morning I have made up for my stay-home time this winter.

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The scenery was prettiest from the farm fields but the walking was best on the pond and the river. With the river I was not compelled to walk far.

The white magic of another winter is going. The pools and puddles during the day caught and held the color of the sky. A Red-wing came to say, "I'm back."

It is nice to have the river closed for the winter and a pause put to my boating. I shall launch it in the spring with so much more pleasure. Maybe I love best to have each thing in its season only, and enjoy doing without it all other times. Maybe William Browne says it best this way, "There is no season such delight can bring as summer, autumn, winter, and spring."

Now another night is falling over the river, the pines, and the woods and I am thankful that I'm here to see.

This Monday morning we are greeted with new snow.

Ann Holt, Bethel, was down to visit her parents on Sunday.

At the Hayes Homestead Ardell and Betty Hayes, Auburn; Duane Hayes and children, West Paris, visited their mother on Saturday.

Fred, Carl and Albert Curtis, East Sumner, called on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Curtis, Saturday. Phil Bentley, Lewiston, was also a caller this week.

Clyde and I visited Carl and Lettie Brooks, West Paris, on Friday.

I went to the Retired Teachers meeting at Telstar on Saturday.

Verna Libby, Falmouth, is with her sister, Doris Hayes, for a few days.

**Ralph "Jug" Merrill**

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## NEWS FROM THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

This Thursday, March 25, the chamber of commerce will be represented at the first of a number of public meetings scheduled to take place throughout Maine on the subject of "theming" Maine's tourism regions. The program is sponsored by the Maine State Development Office and the Department of Transportation. Two consulting firms have prepared a background study for this subject; copies have been sent to local chambers of commerce and to most town governments. This meeting will be in Rangeley at the Rangeley Inn.

The purpose of this project is to improve the marketing of Maine tourism in a way that will increase the amount of vacation travel to the inland areas of the state.

For the last four years, the Bethel chamber has used the theme of "Bethel in the western mountains" as an image producing device. Now the state is proposing to call the area of Rangeley, Sugarloaf, Bethel, Norway/South Paris and Rumford, the Western Lakes and Mountains Region. Also proposed is a slogan of "Four Seasons of Outdoor Recreation."

One aspect of the state's appeal is, in the opinion of this chamber, given too little emphasis. Sightseeing and quiet relaxation rank near the top as reasons why people come to vacation in Maine. Therefore, this aspect of promotion will be proposed by the Bethel delegation to Thursday's meeting in Rangeley.

Finally, for this week, another new business in the Bethel area is about to open: D. W. McKeen's, a new restaurant, lounge and lodging on the Sunday River Skiway access road. The building's interior appearance is superb—hope the food matches the looks.

## FROM THE TOWN OFFICE

continued from Page One board or committee is of vital importance. Not only is your voice heard in developing policy and solving problems, but occasionally you may be called upon to represent Bethel citizens and interests in county and state issues.

As you read this, the Community Development Advisory Committee will have met twice to discuss strategies to compete for available block grant money to complete worthy town projects. The Community Block Grant (CDBG) program has existed for six years and has been administered in this area by the New Hampshire office of the Department of Housing and Urban Development. However, this year CDBG is one of nine federal block grants (\$10 million) being administered by the State of Maine. Of this grant, \$5.7 million is available on a competitive basis where projects would show fulfillment of one or more of the following objectives: the provision of decent, affordable housing for low and moderate income residents; the creation of quality jobs/opportunities for low and moderate income residents; or, the revitalization of deteriorated residential and business districts. The Committee has narrowed the field of worthy projects to two or three that would be competitive on a state-wide basis, and, because of the short deadline, are meeting often to develop a grant application.

The Tree Growth Tax Law continues to spark controversy. Contrary to some earlier reports, however, the Maine Attorney General's Office has issued a legal opinion that states, in effect, that

## NEWS FROM MRS. BOUCHARD'S NURSERY SCHOOL

This week the children visited the fire station. They liked sitting in the trucks and trying on the hats, but they didn't like the loud noise the fire trucks make. Work this week has been on number 10, making activity pictures, cloud pictures and elf puppets, and a science project with objects that sink and float.

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## INSTANT PEDIATRICS COURSE TO START MARCH 31

The Bethel Area Health Center and the S.A.D. 44 Adult and Community Education program will again be sponsoring the course on child care entitled "Instant Pediatrics" beginning March 31 at Telstar Regional High School. The focus of the course recognizes that most health care for children is provided by playpersons; parents; grandparents; teachers or day care workers and attempts to provide those enrolled with the knowl-

edge and skills necessary to deal with many of the common problems of childhood. The course consists of six two-hour sessions and combines lecture, demonstration, audio-visuals, role-playing and clinical skills practice.

The course was developed and is coordinated by Mary Ann O'Connor and is offered as a combined project of the Bethel Area Health Center and S.A.D. 44 Adult and Community Education Program. Guest instructors from the B.A.H.C., the B.E.A.R.S. and the Child Health Center in Norway also participate. Some of the topics covered during the weekly sessions include: infectious diseases; emergencies; common injuries, and growth and development. Persons interested in enrolling in the course should contact S.A.D. 44 Adult and Community Education at 824-2136.

ers. The concerns of our people, their aspirations, their anxieties, their joys and their sorrows, are expressed in the songs they have either created or preserved and we can learn much about ourselves by listening to them.

In 1961, together with Lee Haggerty, Sandy and Caroline founded Folk-Legacy Records, Inc., a company devoted to making the best of our traditional music available to the general public. To date, they have issued over 80 albums of folk music and tales and are currently working on several more. These recordings are distributed nationally and many are used in classes at colleges offering courses in folklore. They operate the company out of their home, a remodeled barn on a rural hillside in Sharon, Conn.

They have presented concerts at colleges and universities throughout the country, from the University of Maine to the Universities of California. They have performed in hundreds of public and private schools. Their enthusiasm, their obvious love for the songs they sing, and their easy rapport with audiences of all ages are key factors in their success. Their music is gentle, their style informal, but their scholarship is precise. The material used in this program is carefully selected to illustrate the various types of songs that make up our musical heritage.

Maine Open Water Fishing Regulations for 1982 and Moose Hunting applications are available for the taking at the Town Office display counter. While on the subject of the Town Office, please mark 10 a.m., March 31, 1982 on your calendars. At this time, a ceremony will honor the passing of "ownership" of the Cole Block to the Bethel Savings Bank to the Town of Bethel.

## Folk Concert at Gould, April 5

On Monday, April 5, at 7:30 p.m., Sandy and Caroline Paton will present a concert of folk music and ballads in Gould Academy's Bingham Hall Auditorium which will be open to the public free of charge.

Sandy and Caroline Paton have travelled throughout the United States, Canada, and the British Isles in search of folk songs and ballads. Their vast repertoire derives from the traditional music of the entire English-speaking world. Behind almost every song is a fascinating story relating how, from whom, and where that song was discovered. One may be a lively banjo tune learned from an ex-rodeo-rides in Oklahoma, another a plaintive lament obtained from a North Carolina mountain man, or a rare ballad collected from an Irish grandmother in the Adirondacks or from a travelling "tinker" with whom they camped in the Scottish Highlands.

These, then, are the songs of our history, of the early settlers,

the later immigrants, songs of sailors, loggers, miners, cowboys,

of migrant farm-workers and, in hard times, of migrant non-work-

ers.

all landowners must re-apply to continue to receive this tax treatment and where land is withdrawn by the landowner, or its use is changed, or where the Assessors determine the land is no longer eligible, the penalty provisions of the law must be applied. While some disagree with the opinion of Maine's Attorney General, the fact is that it remains valid until carried by Maine's highest court to the contrary.

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## DR. A. R. STONE

Dr. Anthony R. Stone of Knoll Rd., Locke Mills, died unexpectedly Tuesday morning, Mar. 22, 1982, at Stephens Memorial Hospital.

He was born in Providence, R.I., Aug. 27, 1918, the son of Vito and Adeline Malone Sasso. He was a graduate of LaSalle Academy and Providence (R.I.) College; received his master's degree from Boston (Mass.) College, and his Ph.D. from American University, Washington, D.C. He was a professor of psychiatry at Johns Hopkins Medical School for 25 years, retiring in 1974 as a professor emeritus. He was in private practice in marital and family counseling in the Baltimore, Md., and Locke Mills areas. Dr. Stone was a member of the American Psychiatric Social Workers; the American Association of Marriage and Family Counseling; the Greenwood Fire Department; Jefferson Lodge, AF and AM of Bryant Pond; Mt. Abram Fish and Game Association; and the National Rifle Association. He was a veteran of World War II. He married the former Mary F. Fanning in 1942.

Survivors include his widow of Locke Mills; a daughter, Maryann Price; and a son, Robert W. Stone, both of California; a brother, Lawrence J. Sasso of Rhode Island; and a grandchild.

A public Masonic memorial service will be held Saturday afternoon at two o'clock from the Locke Mills Union Church.

In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to Greenwood Fire Department, c/o Hugh Swan, Locke Mills; or Triton Rescue Unit, c/o Chris, Hefley, Bryant Pond.

The Old Man Comes Home

This is a song I wrote about a friend of mine

You see he's a city fella but his heart's

Up here in Maine

And anyone here he can come on home

He keeps him just fine

He keeps telling me that life in the city

Can drive a man insane.

Song goes something like this. The whippoorwill is calling and the lake is

Smooth as glass

Sitting on his porch he gazes at

the dying day

And reflects on mirrored images

of thoughts

That he's lived

The old man has come home to stay.

The old man has come home to stay.

Well I've known the gentleman for oh go on five years now

And every time I see him I think of the times

When any days were full of lonely nights

And beer stains on my shirt

But knowing him and the things he's seen

Has changed my life.

It's for him I made this tune.

Gary Fuller

BORN

In Norway, March 17, to Mr. and Mrs. Danny Kennagh of Bethel, a daughter, Alana Dawn.

DIED

In Caribou, March 22, Dr. Theodore G. Cummings, formerly of Locke Mills, aged 60 years.

In Norway, March 23, Dr. Anthony R. Stone of Locke Mills, aged 63 years.

I have wondered why small towns are often referred to as "sleepy" and one day while reading The Bethel Citizen I realized why. There are so many places to go and things to do, so many classes, hearings, meetings, suppers, parties, clubs, workshops and other activities that one cannot possibly indulge in half. Added to that are the necessities such as earning a living and personal care and there is little time left for sleep.

The collection is available to researchers during regular hours each week day from nine to five and by appointment. For further information, please call the Society at 824-2308 or write P.O. Box 12, Bethel, Maine 04217.

The Assessors of the Town of Bethel will be at the Town Office in Bethel from 12:00 Noon to 5:00 P.M. on Thursday, April 1, 1982, to receive lists of Real Estate and Personal Property.

You are hereby further notified that failing to bring such lists bars you from any appeal of any consideration on the part of the Assessors or the County Commissioners.

Veterans or veterans' widows (if veteran living or deceased would be 62 years of age) who reach the age of 62 on or before April 1, 1982 or a veteran who is receiving a pension or compensation from the U.S. Government for total disability must apply to the Assessors prior to April 1, 1982 for his or her exemption.

Any questions should be directed to the Assessors or to the Town Office.

Stanley R. Howe

Peter Weeks

Patricia C. Dozen

Robert A. Stevens

Peter Holmes

Assessors, Town of Bethel

## BETHEL HISTORICAL SOCIETY ACQUIRES MICROFILM COPY OF "AMONG THE CLOUDS"

Through the generosity of an anonymous donor, the Bethel Historical Society has acquired microfilm copies of all the known issues of "Among the Clouds," the famous daily newspaper established on the summit of New England's highest mountain, Mount Washington, Issued by the Dartmouth College Library this edition will serve as a valuable primary resource for the study of the people and events of the White Mountain region. Founded in 1877, as Mount Washington's daily newspaper, the paper continued every summer for 31 years from the summit and later for eight years from the Base Station. Here is chronicled the events of the White Mountain region and listed the names of the numerous visitors (many of them highly distinguished ones) who ascended the mountain, travelling up its slopes by foot, on the famous cog railroad or by the carriage road.

President Rutherford B. Hayes

considered the printing office of

"Among the Clouds" the highest

newspaper office he had ever seen.

He made that observation to founder Henry M. Burt who until his death in 1899 continued as editor.

It soon became evident that visitors to the summit enjoyed seeing an announcement of their arrival in print. In response to this wish, Burt began to issue two editions, the first being sent down the mountain for distribution to newsstands and subscribers. Arrivals at the top were asked to register at the Summit House, and their names were rushed into print, the later editions being ready for them to carry with them when they departed on the afternoon train.

Initially located in the Tiptop

House, the newspaper office was

struck by lightning, one of

which occasions the editor him-

self was seriously injured. Burt,

however, to operate

"Among the Clouds" for 16 years,

and he was succeeded by his son

Frank. The younger Burt published

and edited the paper until the

printing plant was destroyed by

fire in